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This is in response to the Office Action mailed October 20, 2004, and having a period for response set to expire on January 20, 2005. A Petition for One Month Extension of Time, together with the requisite fee, is enclosed thereby extending the response due date to February 20, 2005.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

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